



Mail Stop Amendment
Attorney Docket No. 26689U

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Lee et al. Confirmation No.: 2581
Serial No.: 10/529,169 Group Art Unit: 1648
Filed: March 24, 2005 Examiner: HURT, Sharon L.
For: **NOVEL FULL-LENGTH GENOMIC RNA OF JAPANESE ENCEPHALITIS
VIRUS, INFECTIOUS JEV CDNA THEREFROM, AND USE THEREOF**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17, 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time as follows:

- XX** Four-month extension of time to respond to the Official Action dated August 11, 2006 (\$795.00 fee), making a response due on or before January 11, 2007.
- XX** Enclosed is our check no: 3525 to cover the four-month extension of time fee (\$795.00 fee) for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

Gary M. Nath
Registration No. 26,965
Susanne M. Hopkins
Registration No. 33,247
Customer No. 20259

Date: January 11, 2007
THE NATH LAW GROUP PLLC
112 S. West Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
Tel: (703) 548-6284
Fax: (703) 683-8396

01/12/2007 SZEWDIE1 00000041 10529169

01 FC:2254

795.00 0P